

# FALL RECYCLING & COLLECTION EVENT

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**Date: Saturday, October 9, 2004**

**Time: 9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (No vehicles admitted after 4 p.m.)**

**NEW Location: 18120 NE 76th Street (City of Redmond Maintenance & Operation Center)**

## Please Note!

This is a new collection site. All participants must strictly follow the event route: 1) get onto 178th Ave. NE, 2) turn left or right (depending on which direction you're driving) onto NE 68th St. 3) turn left onto 185th Ave NE and 4) turn left onto 76th St. Please be patient and flexible at the new site. As you drive through the event lot, the drop-off stations are set up in numbered order as listed by each material below. To quickly and easily unload at each station, please pack your items for the stations in DESCENDING ORDER - last item placed in your vehicle will end up being the first item out! A tip: the higher the station number for a material, the earlier that material should be loaded into your vehicle.

## Stations 1 through 9 are open to EVERYONE.

**No pass or proof of Redmond city-limit residency is required to drop off materials at Stations 2 through 9.**

### ❑ Station 1

#### ENTRY & CHECKPOINT

Greeters will verify the acceptance of materials and proof of Redmond city-limit residency for materials going to stations 10-15. Please read the following information carefully and follow the rules and restrictions, which will be strictly enforced.

### ❑ Station 2

#### LASER/INK JET CARTRIDGES, CELL PHONES\* & PAGERS

Accepts ALL laser/ink cartridges (often called bubble jets), used in printers or fax machines. The vendor will pay \$2.00 each for most VIRGIN cartridges. Previously recharged cartridges will not be bought back but will be accepted free of charge. ALL types of cell phones\* and pagers accepted. The vendor will pay \$1.00 for each working cell phone. If you have a large amount of any of these items, call ECCO Recycles at 253-813-9736.

### ❑ Station 3

#### TV SETS, MONITORS, COMPUTERS, COPIERS, STEREOS, PRINTERS, & PC ACCESSORIES

We will accept TV sets\*, computers\* monitors\* and stereos\* for a fee. As these items contain hazardous materials we must send them to a certified processor and pay for their proper handling and disposal. The fees for the following items (working or non-working): \$15 - TV set; \$10 - PC (desktop or laptop), monitor, copier, or stereo. We accept checks only. Please prewrite your checks to "City of Redmond" and pay at the drop off point. For free disposal or buy back potential of working computers and/or monitors, please call Computer Surplus at 425-497-1945 or visit their store at 16715 Cleveland St. However, the above fees are waived (except TV

sets 22" or larger) for those single-family Redmond residents who are also Waste Management garbage customers to drop off one of each of the above listed items. To qualify for the waiver, you must bring your 2nd or 3rd quarter garbage bill.

The following **working** items will be collected for **free**: Printers, modems, speakers, networking devices, computer accessories such as keyboards, mice, cables, UPS, etc. For any **non-working** items, please discard them as bulky garbage at Station 10.

### ❑ Station 4

#### BICYCLES & TRICYCLES

Redmond Rotary Club will accept all reusable or repairable bikes and tricycles. Donation receipts are available upon request.

### ❑ Station 5

#### HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Clothing, textiles including rags, books, furniture, etc. Furniture items must be reusable as is. No mattresses (accepted at Station 10). Tax receipts available. Any items that need repair will be accepted as bulky garbage at Station 10.

### ❑ Station 6

#### REFRIGERATORS/FREEZERS

Household units **ONLY**. NO air conditioning units of any type. A \$20 fee, including tax, is charged for each unit for safe removal and disposal of chlorofluorocarbons (CFC coolants). **CASH ONLY** accepted at the drop-off.

\*Single-family residents can now recycle these items free of charge through the City of Redmond's curbside recycling program. Call Waste Management at 1-800-592-9995 for details.

### ❑ Station 7

#### APPLIANCES/SCRAP METAL

Auto parts, metal frame lawn chairs, lawn mowers (drain all fluids), stoves, BBQ stoves, microwaves, dishwashers, washers/dryers, hot water tanks, scrap iron and steel. No butane/ propane/ Freon/helium tanks or cans that contain chemicals. These items will be accepted at the Hazardous Wastemobile. Call Arrow Metals Corp. before the recycling event at 425-481-1828 regarding the acceptability of a specific item.

### ❑ Station 8

#### TIRES

Light truck, car and motorcycle tires. Bias, steel belted, and studded tires are okay. First 6 tires free; \$1.50 for each additional tire and \$2.00 for every tire on rim, with check **ONLY** made payable to "City of Redmond".

### ❑ Station 9

#### BATTERIES

Lead acid batteries: car, truck, marine and motorcycle. Household batteries: Alkaline AAA, AA, B, C, D Cells (6 volts or less only), nickel cadmium, mercury, lithium, silver, and small lead-acid (computer and telephone) batteries. Please sort according to types and sizes.

**NOTE: USED MOTOR OIL\*, ANTIFREEZE & PETROLEUM products are NO LONGER accepted at the event but accepted at the Wastemobile, which is at Bear Creek Metro Park & Ride on the same day. The Park & Ride is located adjacent to the event site; take a right onto 178th Pl. NE from event exit on NE 76th Street. The Wastemobile also accepts other types of household hazardous materials. Please see next page for more information.**

# Residents Only

**Stations 10 through 15 are for Redmond city-limit households only. (An event pass or proof of Redmond city-limit residency is REQUIRED to drop off materials at the following stations.)**

❑ **Station 10**  
**BULKY GARBAGE**

Broken furniture (including mattresses), large broken toys, carpets, toilet seat covers, garden hoses, non-recyclable plastics and non-construction debris. No sod or regular household garbage accepted. No TV sets or PC monitors, which are collected at Station 3.

❑ **Station 11**  
**STUMPS & LARGE TREE BRANCHES**

Logs, firewood, and large tree limbs must be a minimum of 4 inches in diameter. No sod, leaves, grass clippings, or tree limbs smaller than 4" in diameter! Vehicles not following the above description will NOT be allowed entry! Please read RESTRICTIONS FOR WOOD WASTE (at right) or call the Recycling Office at 425-556-2811 with questions.

❑ **Station 12**  
**UNTREATED WOOD & LUMBER**

Plywood, pallets, particleboard, dimension lumber and any type of untreated lumber (defined as unpainted, unstained and non-pressured-treated pieces such as untreated cedar fences). Pieces with nails are okay. Any painted, stained or pressure-treated pieces are collected as construction debris at Station 13.

❑ **Station 13**  
**CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS**

All remodeling debris such as doors, windows, drywall, roofing materials, floors, decks, window glass, insulation materials, any treated wood (including painted, stained or pressure-treated), stained or painted fences & fence poles with concrete, etc. No TV sets or PC monitors, which are collected at Station 3.

❑ **Station 14**  
**BRICKS, ROCKS, ASPHALT & CONCRETE**

Pure bricks, rocks, asphalt and concrete only (for example: no concrete with fence poles). Hardened concrete mix in bags is accepted. Accept a maximum volume up to 300 lbs (about 1/3 capacity of a half-ton pickup). No large loads, which can be disposed of for a marginal fee at Cadman on Union Hill Road (18816 NE 80th Street), Monday through Friday. Call Cadman at 425-868-7334 for details.

❑ **Station 15**  
**CERAMIC SINKS & TOILETS**

All types of ceramic sinks and ceramic toilets including water tanks are accepted. Please REMOVE wax rings at the bottom and wooden or plastic toilet seat covers. Metal sinks and metal toilet parts are accepted as scrap metal at Station 7.

***The City will sponsor its Spring recycling event on Saturday, April 2nd 2005, collecting all of the same materials (Stations 2-15) at this same location.***

## Restrictions for Wood Waste

**A**t the event, we accept only tree stumps, tree branches, firewood and logs that are 4 inches in diameter or larger. We WILL NOT ACCEPT regular yard debris, defined as: small branches (less than 4 inches in diameter), grass clippings, leaves or sod. We will DENY ENTRY to any vehicle bringing regular yard debris (or even a load mixed with regular yard debris). Any small branches (less than 4 inches) must be sawed off from big ones (4 inches or larger) and only the latter can be brought to the event. This rule will be strictly enforced to avoid material contamination. The wood collected at the event is recycled and processed differently. Even a small amount of regular yard debris will contaminate an entire load of bulky wood materials and make the latter non-recyclable. The City must then pay a higher fee to dispose of the contaminated loads as garbage. ***Please prepare your wood debris accordingly and bring only those items accepted at the event. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation.***

Regular yard debris **except sod** is collected weekly between March and November and bi-weekly between December and February through the City's curbside-recycling program. If you have more than can fit into your black yard debris toter, and you do not wish to pay the extra curbside collection fee, you can take your yard debris to one of the local private composting facilities or the King County Transfer Stations and dispose of it at a discounted rate. For transfer station information, call the King County InfoLine at 206-296-6540 or the Redmond Recycling office at 425-556-2811.

## We DO NOT Accept the Following Materials at the October 9th Event

### Category A

- ✗ Regular trash picked up at curbside
- ✗ Yard debris collected at curbside (such as grass clippings, leaves and tree branches less than 4 inches in diameter)

- ✗ Recyclables picked up at curbside
- ✗ Saw dust and Sod (accepted for a small fee at Pacific Topsoil 425-882-9194)

### Category B – Household Hazardous Materials

- Latex and oil-based paints
- Pesticides
- Hobby chemicals
- Fluorescent light bulbs
- Butane and propane tanks (empty or full)
- Antifreeze & automobile fluids
- Thinners & solvents
- Glues, adhesives & aerosols
- Toxic cleaning products
- Products with Mercury
- Used motor oil, gasoline, diesel and kerosene

***The Category B items can be disposed of safely in King County free of charge. Please refer to the two disposal options listed below.***

## Two Disposal Options

**W**ondering what to do with those cans of old paint, thinner, or weed killer rusting away in your garage? Bring them either to the **Factoria Transfer Station Household Hazardous Waste Storage Locker** or to the **Household Hazardous Wastemobile**. There is no charge to dispose of your hazardous wastes. The limit is 30 gallons per vehicle. If you have more than the limit, you need to call 206-296-4692 in advance to get an approval. To avoid delays, go during weekdays if possible. Please keep products in original containers or label them if they are not. For more information please call the King County Health Department Hazard Line at 206-296-4692 or visit [www.govlink.org/hazwaste](http://www.govlink.org/hazwaste).

## Factoria Transfer Station Household Hazardous Waste Storage

13800 SE 32nd Street, Bellevue

**Dates:** Thursday – Sunday, except holidays • **Hours:** 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## Wastemobile Available In Redmond

Bear Creek Metro Park & Ride, 7760 178th Place NE, East of Target store

**Dates:** October 8, 9, & 10 • **Hours:** 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Funding of the event provided by: The City of Redmond Recycling Program, the King County Solid Waste Division, the Local Hazardous Waste Management Program in King County and the WA State Department of Ecology.